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SUBJECT: FOREIGN BUYER GROUPS TO U.S. OFFSHORE TECHNOLOGY

CONFERENCE (OTC) AND EXHIBITION, HOUSTON, TEXAS

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1. ACTIVE PROMOTION OF FOREIGN BUYER ATTENDANCE AT THE OTC NOT, REPEAT, NOT CONSIDERED FEASIBLE AND WORTHWHILE AT THE PRESENT TIME, GIVEN THE CURRENT LEVEL OF TECHNOLOGY IN THIS FIELD. THE ECUADOREAN STATE PETROLEUM COMPANY (CEPE), AND THE MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES MAY WISH HOWEVER TO SEND OBSERVER. EMBASSY WILL INFORM THE APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS ABOUT CONFERENCE.

2. ONLY OFFSHORE DRILLING IN ECUADOR WAS DONE BY ADA, AN AMERICAN OIL CONSORTIUM, IN THE GULF OF GUAYAQUIL. ANY OFFSHORE DRILLING TO BE DONE IN THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE IN ECUADOREAN WATERS WOULD MORE THAN LIKELY BE CONTRACTED OUT TO FOREIGN FIRMS. THE SHORT CONTINENTAL SHELF OF ECUADOR IS ANOTHER LIMITING FACTOR IN OFFSHORE POTENTIAL.
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